# READING RODS« ALPHABET AND PHONEMIC AWARENESS INDIVIDUAL STUDENT KIT

ETA/Cuisenaire

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Grade Level P1 - Kindergarten P2 - 1st Grade P3 - 2nd Grade

Readability Level N/A

Course / Content Reading

List Price: 25.95

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Recommendations:

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XLVIII.	Audience: Teacher Materials Content Summary	2.00
XLIX.	Audience : Student Materials Content Summary	2.00
L.	Format Content Summary	2.00

#### **AUDIENCE: TEACHER MATERIALS**

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## **AUDIENCE: STUDENT MATERIALS**

INCLUDES BASIC SKILLS NEEDED TO TEACH CHILDREN HOW TO RECORD SOUNDS AND WORDS ON PAPER

#### **FORMAT**

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GLOSSERIES AVAILABLE FOR TEACHERS TO HELP PLAN LESSONS, UNDERSTAND TERMS AND VIEW FURTHER RESEARCH

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**Ancillary Materials Content Summary** 

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VII.	Technology Content Summary	
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X.	Format Content Summary easily integrated into any core program	2.00

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Grade Level P1 - Kindergarten P2 - 1st Grade P3 - 2nd Grade

Readability Level N/A

Course / Content Reading

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Recommendations: reviewed the alphabet set of books. these books are also part of the alphabet kit. recommended as supplement or intervention program

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- I. Technology Component Summary
- II. Reading Content Summary phonemic awareness, beginning alphabet sounds only
- III. Writing Content Summary
- IV. Grammar and Spelling Content Summary
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- VII. Technology Content Summary
- VIII. Audience: Teacher Materials Content Summary
- IX. Audience: Student Materials Content Summary
- X. Format Content Summary
- XI. Ancillary Materials Content Summary

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Readability Level N/A

Course / Content Reading

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XV. Listening / Speaking / Observing Content Summary

XVI. Inquiry Content Summary

XVII. Technology Content Summary

XVIII. Audience: Teacher Materials Content Summary

XIX. Audience: Student Materials Content Summary

XX. Format Content Summary

XXI. Ancillary Materials Content Summary

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Course / Content Reading

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XXX. Format Content Summary

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Grade Level P1 - Kindergarten P2 - 1st Grade P3 - 2nd Grade P4 - 3rd

Grade Fourth Grade Fifth Grade Sixth Grade Seventh

Grade Eigth Grade

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- XI. Ancillary Materials Content Summary

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Grade Level P1 - Kindergarten P2 - 1st Grade P3 - 2nd Grade P4 - 3rd

Grade

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# READING RODS« INITIAL CONSONANTS AND WORD FAMILIES READING GROUP KIT

ETA/Cuisenaire

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Grade Level P1 - Kindergarten P2 - 1st Grade P3 - 2nd Grade P4 - 3rd

Grade

Readability Level N/A

Course / Content Reading

List Price: 144.95

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ETA/Cuisenaire

Edition - N/A ISBN - 5500060105 Copyright - 2002

Grade Level P2 - 1st Grade

Readability Level N/A

Course / Content Reading

64.95 List Price:

Wholesale Price 64.9500000000000003

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## READING CONTENT

short poem at beginning of each unit introducing the concept for the unit. Modeling and introduction of phonics skills, grammer skills and word construction

it is possible for students to be flex grouped while using these materials. However, program appears to be designed for all students at grade level. Moves very quickly through skills.

assessment consists of end of unit test and teacher observation throughout lessons.

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## TECHNOLOGY CONTENT

N/A

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N/A

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# READING RODS« PHONICS KINDERGARTEN ADD-ON RODS SET

ETA/Cuisenaire

ISBN - 5500060104 Edition - N/A Copyright - 2002

Grade Level P1 - Kindergarten

Readability Level N/A

Course / Content Reading

54.95 List Price:

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## READING RODS« PHONICS SECOND GRADE ADD-ON RODS SET

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LXV.	Listening / Speaking / Observing Content Summary	
LXVI.	Inquiry Content Summary	
LXVII.	Technology Content Summary	
LXVIII	. Audience: Teacher Materials Content Summary TG is easy to follow	2.00
LXIX.	Audience : Student Materials Content Summary materials are sturdy, well organized	2.00
LXX.	Format Content Summary	2.00
LXXI.	Ancillary Materials Content Summary	

#### READING CONTENT

short poem at beginning of each unit introducing the concept for the unit. Modeling and introduction of phonics skills, grammer skills and word construction

it is possible for students to be flex grouped while using these materials. However, program appears to be designed for all students at grade level. Moves very quickly through skills.

assessment consists of end of unit test and teacher observation throughout lessons.

#### GRAMMAR AND SPELLING

TEACHES GRAMMAR AND SENTENCE FORMATION SKILLS SMALL GROUP WORK ALLOWS FOR STUDENT COMMUNICATION AND ORAL PRACTICE, WORKSHEETS GIVE WRITTEN PRACTICE

SPELLING IS LIMITED TO PHONICS SKILLS AND WORD ANALYSIS SKILLS (ENDING, PREFIX, SUFFIX, ETC...) BOOK DOES NOT GIVE STUDENTS SPELLING LISTS, ETC... THIS WOULD BE UP TO THE TEACHER TO DEVELOP.

TEACHER CAN DIFFERENTIATE INSTRUCTION BY USING THE PROGRAM IN SMALL GROUPS AT DIFFERENT SKILL LEVELS. TEACHER RESOURCE BOOK DOES NOT DISCUSS HOW TO DO THIS!

#### TECHNOLOGY CONTENT

N/A

# **AUDIENCE: TEACHER MATERIALS**

MANIPULATIVES ARE ENGAGING FOR STUDENTS. TG INCLUDES RESEARCH, AND SITES RESOURCES FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION.

**AUDIENCE: STUDENT MATERIALS** 

MATERIALS ARE NOT GENDER OR RACE BIASED.
STUDENTS HAVE JOURNAL ENTRY IN WHICH TO RESPOND TO EACH UNIT

## **FORMAT**

MANIPULATIVES ARE VERY STURDY

## READING RODS« PHONICS THIRD GRADE PROGRAM

ETA/Cuisenaire

Copyright - 2002 ISBN - 5500060103 Edition - N/A

Grade Level P4 - 3rd Grade

Readability Level N/A

Course / Content Reading

List Price: 545

Wholesale Price 545

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Content

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**Student Experiences** 

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Assessment

Formal and informal assessment activities for the teacher are built into Reading Rods« Phonics. Because Reading Rods« Phonics is correlated to four of the major core reading basals, it is a natural performance-based assessment in your classroom.

Organization

The TeacherÆs Guide is full of ready-to-use lessons, blackline masters, word lists, and assessments. The VersaTote« contains everything you need to support your classroom management of Reading Rods« Phonics. It contains a pocket chart, built in pouches for center activities, pocket chart cards that match the rods, activity trays to define workspaces, Student Activity Books, and gameboards. The lessons move sequentially from basic phonics skills to more sophisticated reading, writing, comprehension, and grammar skills.

Resource Materials

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#### Research Data and Evidence of Effectiveness

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Research Available

Not Available

None

#### Overall Strength and/or Weaknesses

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Recommendations:

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**GRADE KIT** 

this program is recommended as a supplement for phonics instruction. materials are good for students who need to physically manipulate objects, center choice additions.

Materials can be used separately, in small groups, individually.

#### **Summary Form**

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# **TECHNOLOGY CONTENT**

N/A

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## **AUDIENCE: STUDENT MATERIALS**

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STUDENTS HAVE JOURNAL ENTRY IN WHICH TO RESPOND TO EACH UNIT

#### **FORMAT**

MANIPULATIVES ARE VERY STURDY

## READING RODS« PHONICS WORD-BUILDING INDIVIDUAL STUDENT KIT

ETA/Cuisenaire

ISBN - 5500060005 Edition - N/A Copyright - 2002

Grade Level P2 - 1st Grade P3 - 2nd Grade P4 - 3rd Grade

Readability Level N/A

Course / Content Reading

List Price: 33.95

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Assessment

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Resource Materials

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Research Available

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Recommendations:

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#### **FORMAT**

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## READING RODS« PHONICS WORD-BUILDING READING GROUP KIT

ETA/Cuisenaire

Copyright - 2002 ISBN - 5500060095 Edition - N/A

Grade Level P2 - 1st Grade P3 - 2nd Grade P4 - 3rd Grade

Readability Level N/A

Course / Content Reading

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Research Available

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None

Technology Component Summary

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Recommendations:

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#### **Summary Form**

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IV.	Grammar and Spelling Content Summary	2.00
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VII.	Technology Content Summary	
VIII.	Audience: Teacher Materials Content Summary	2.00
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# READING RODS« PREFIXES, SUFFIXES, AND ROOT WORDS INDIVIDUAL STUDENT KIT

ETA/Cuisenaire

Copyright - 2000 ISBN - 5500060086 Edition - N/A

Grade Level P3 - 2nd Grade P4 - 3rd Grade

Readability Level N/A

Course / Content Reading

List Price: 20.95

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Content Reading Rods« Skill Kits supplement any curriculum by reinforcing key literacy skills through the

use of hands-on activities that encourage students to practice their reading and writing skills. Each kit focuses on the skills researchers have identified as most critical for reading success. The following eight kits can be used with students in Kû8 levels: Alphabet and Phonemic Awareness; Initial Consonants and Word Families; Short Vowel Word Families; Making Words; Phonics Word-Building; Prefixes, Suffixes, and Root Words; Simple Sentences; and Sentence

Construction. Each kit can be used for one on one teaching, small groups or learning centers.

Student Experiences Reading Rods« Skill Kits contain activity flipbooks that offer independent practice with

an easy-to-follow pattern of find, build, say, and write. As students work through the steps, they become more independent learners while developing their understanding of a

specific literacy concept.

Assessment Formal and informal assessment activities for the teacher are built into Reading Rods« Skill Kits.

The TeacherÆs Resource Guide gives simple suggestions to help assess studentsÆ understanding and offers ideas for continued practice of the objectives if students are not at the level they need to

he

Organization The TeacherÆs Resource Guide is full of ready-to-use lessons, blackline masters, word lists, and

assessments. Every lesson has a clear objective, concise directions, and examples for you to start the activity. Each Skill Kit is available with enough materials for one student or for a reading group of five students. In addition, Reading Specialist Kits are available in individual and group

forms.

Resource Materials Also Available: Specialist KitûBasic Specialist KitûComprehensive Individual Skill

Kits Small Group Skill Kits

Gratis Items to be provided and under what conditions

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Available Ancillary Materials Reading Rods Green Tray

#### Research Data and Evidence of Effectiveness

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Research Available Not Available

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Recommendations: This program is recommended as a supplement for a balance literacy program. Can be

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in the core program, or to reinforce/teach small group skills.

#### **Summary Form**

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I. Technology Component Summary

II. Reading Content Summary Allows students opportunity to manipulate letters and word parts. This set includes prefixes, english & green/latin root words, suffixes and consolents & vowels in blue & red.

III. Writing Content Summary

IV. Grammar and Spelling Content Summary 2.00

V. Listening / Speaking / Observing Content Summary

VI. Inquiry Content Summary

VII. Technology Content Summary

VIII. Audience: Teacher Materials Content Summary 2.00

IX. Audience: Student Materials Content Summary 2.00

student manipulatives to increase student understanding of how language works.

Format Content Summary 2.00 easily integrated into any core program

XI. Ancillary Materials Content Summary

2.00

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#### READING CONTENT

this Reading Rods set focuses on lbuilding plural words, verbs, prefixes, suffixes and root words. FOCUS ON MEANING OF ROOT WORDS AND AND HOW PRE/SUFFIXES CHANGE THE MEANING. decoding skills leads to comprehension of text

materials are designed to be used in small groups, individual, or learning centers

## **GRAMMAR AND SPELLING**

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# READING RODS« READERS LONG VOWEL MASTERY ADD-ON SET, SET OF 10 BOOKS

ETA/Cuisenaire

Copyright - 2002 ISBN - 5500060240 Edition - N/A

Grade Level P2 - 1st Grade P3 - 2nd Grade P4 - 3rd Grade

Readability Level N/A

Course / Content Reading

List Price: 27.95

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Content Reading Rods« Readers offers highly decodable texts designed to supplement reading programs in

grades 1 and up. Combined with the Reading Rods«, skills are taught in the context of a memorable story. Each title targets one skill and highlights it throughout the text. Phonics, vowels, and grammar skills are brought to life through the characters and then extended into vocabulary, comprehension, and writing by hands-on activities included in each text.

Student Experiences Reading Rods« Readers gives children the opportunity to read colorfully illustrated

decodable texts and to immediately apply their experience in a hands-on activity. Students will enjoy the stories again and again and be able to easily show what they have

learned.

Assessment Reading Rods« Readers is an informal, performance-based assessment for the teacher in the form

of hands-on activities incorporated into each title.

Organization Reading Rods« Readers is organized into seven different sets: Word Families, Phonics 1 and 2,

Short Vowel, Long Vowel, Advanced Vowel and Grammar. The sets are organized into shared

reading libraries and individual copies, and include 113 titles in all.

Resource Materials N/A

Gratis Items to be provided and under what conditions

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Recommendations: books se

books serve as a supplement and reinforcement of skills children are learning. Formatting and instruction is similar to other book sets. This set contains short and long vowel word families. Helps to put the phonemic sounds and word families into story form.

## **Summary Form**

- I. Technology Component Summary
- II. Reading Content Summary
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2.00

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PROGRAM IS SUPPLEMENTAL, TO BE USED AS SUPPORT FOR STUDENTS TO PRACTICE SKILLS TAUGHT PREVIOUSLY.

## **FORMAT**

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# **ANCILLARY MATERIALS**

STUDENT BOOK AND ACTIVITIES AT END OF BOOKS TELL THE STUDENTS EXACTLY WHICH READING RODS THEY NEED AND WHAT THEY WILL NEED TO DO TO COMPLETE THE ACTIVITY.

# READING RODS« READERS LONG VOWEL MASTERY CLASSROOM LIBRARY, 6 EA. OF 10 TITLES

ETA/Cuisenaire

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Grade Level P2 - 1st Grade P3 - 2nd Grade P4 - 3rd Grade

Readability Level N/A

Course / Content Reading

List Price: 149.95

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Content Reading Rods« Readers offers highly decodable texts designed to supplement reading programs in

grades 1 and up. Combined with the Reading Rods«, skills are taught in the context of a memorable story. Each title targets one skill and highlights it throughout the text. Phonics, vowels, and grammar skills are brought to life through the characters and then extended into vocabulary, comprehension, and writing by hands-on activities included in each text.

Student Experiences Reading Rods« Readers gives children the opportunity to read colorfully illustrated

decodable texts and to immediately apply their experience in a hands-on activity. Students will enjoy the stories again and again and be able to easily show what they have

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Organization Reading Rods« Readers is organized into seven different sets: Word Families, Phonics 1 and 2,

Short Vowel, Long Vowel, Advanced Vowel and Grammar. The sets are organized into shared

reading libraries and individual copies, and include 113 titles in all.

Resource Materials N/A

Gratis Items to be provided and under what conditions

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Available Ancillary Materials Reading Rods Green Tray

#### Research Data and Evidence of Effectiveness

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Research Available Not Available

None

## Overall Strength and/or Weaknesses

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Textbook/Instructional Materials Review Team completed each evaluation form during summer of 2005. In order to maintain the integrity of the review team's comments, editing was limited to spelling and punctuation.

Recommendations: books se

books serve as a supplement and reinforcement of skills children are learning. Formatting and instruction is similar to other book sets. This set contains short and long vowel word families. Helps to put the phonemic sounds and word families into story form.

## **Summary Form**

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## READING RODS« READERS LONG VOWEL MASTERY LEARNING CENTER

ETA/Cuisenaire

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Grade Level P2 - 1st Grade P3 - 2nd Grade P4 - 3rd Grade

Readability Level N/A

Course / Content Reading

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Resource Materials N/A

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**Ancillary Materials Content Summary** 

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2.00

# READING RODS« READERS PHONICS FOUNDATION SET 1 ADD-ON SET, 16 BKS./

ETA/Cuisenaire

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Grade Level P2 - 1st Grade P3 - 2nd Grade P4 - 3rd Grade

Readability Level N/A

Course / Content Reading

List Price: 44.95

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Content

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Assessment

Formal and informal assessment activities for the teacher are built into Reading Rods« Phonics. Because Reading Rods« Phonics is correlated to four of the major core reading basals, it is a natural performance-based assessment in your classroom.

Organization

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Resource Materials

Also Available: Nonconsumable Student Activity Books Comprehensive TeacherÆs Resource Guide Self-Correcting Kindergarten Answer Cases

Reading Rods Green Tray Available Ancillary Materials

#### Research Data and Evidence of Effectiveness

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Research Available

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Recommendations:

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#### **Summary Form**

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2.00

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## **FORMAT**

BOOKS CAN BE USED IN ANY ORDER WITH GROUPS TO REINFORCE SKILLS

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2.00

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# READING RODS« READERS PHONICS FOUNDATION SET 1 CLASSROOM LIBRARY

ETA/Cuisenaire

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Grade Level P2 - 1st Grade P3 - 2nd Grade P4 - 3rd Grade

Readability Level N/A

Course / Content Reading

List Price: 249.95

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Content

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Available Ancillary Materials

Reading Rods Green Tray

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VI.	Inquiry Content Summary	
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## **FORMAT**

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**Ancillary Materials Content Summary** 

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Readability Level N/A

Course / Content Reading

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## **ANCILLARY MATERIALS**

# READING RODS« READERS PHONICS FOUNDATION SET 2 ADD-ON SET, 16 BKS./

ETA/Cuisenaire

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Grade Level P2 - 1st Grade P3 - 2nd Grade P4 - 3rd Grade

Readability Level N/A

Course / Content Reading

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Recommendations:

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## **ANCILLARY MATERIALS**

# READING RODS« READERS PHONICS FOUNDATION SET 2 CLASSROOM LIBRARY

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Grade Level P2 - 1st Grade P3 - 2nd Grade P4 - 3rd Grade

Readability Level N/A

Course / Content Reading

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Content

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Organization

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Resource Materials

Also Available: Nonconsumable Student Activity Books Comprehensive TeacherÆs Resource Guide Self-Correcting Kindergarten Answer Cases

Available Ancillary Materials

Reading Rods Green Tray

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Research Available

Not Available

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## **ANCILLARY MATERIALS**

## READING RODS« READERS PHONICS FOUNDATION SET 2 LEARNING CENTER

ETA/Cuisenaire

Copyright - 2002 ISBN - 5500060213 Edition - N/A

Grade Level P2 - 1st Grade P3 - 2nd Grade P4 - 3rd Grade

Readability Level N/A

Course / Content Reading

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Gratis Items to be provided and under what conditions of equal or lower value

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Research Available

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#### **Summary Form**

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- II. Reading Content Summary

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- V. Listening / Speaking / Observing Content Summary
- VI. Inquiry Content Summary
- VII. Technology Content Summary
- VIII. Audience: Teacher Materials Content Summary

2.00

- IX. Audience: Student Materials Content Summary
- X. Format Content Summary

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2.00

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#### **FORMAT**

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# READING RODS« READERS SHORT VOWEL MASTERY ADD-ON SET, SET OF 10 BOOKS

ETA/Cuisenaire

Copyright - 2002 ISBN - 5500060237 Edition - N/A

Grade Level P2 - 1st Grade P3 - 2nd Grade P4 - 3rd Grade

Readability Level N/A

Course / Content Reading

List Price: 27.95

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Student Experiences Reading Rods« Readers gives children the opportunity to read colorfully illustrated

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learned.

Assessment Reading Rods« Readers is an informal, performance-based assessment for the teacher in the form

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Organization Reading Rods« Readers is organized into seven different sets: Word Families, Phonics 1 and 2,

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reading libraries and individual copies, and include 113 titles in all.

Resource Materials N/A

Gratis Items to be provided and under what conditions

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Available Ancillary Materials Reading Rods Green Tray

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Research Available Not Available

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## **Summary Form**

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**Ancillary Materials Content Summary** 

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# **ANCILLARY MATERIALS**

STUDENT BOOK AND ACTIVITIES AT END OF BOOKS TELL THE STUDENTS EXACTLY WHICH READING RODS THEY NEED AND WHAT THEY WILL NEED TO DO TO COMPLETE THE ACTIVITY.

2.00

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ETA/Cuisenaire

Copyright - 2002 ISBN - 5500060238 Edition - N/A

Grade Level P2 - 1st Grade P3 - 2nd Grade P4 - 3rd Grade

Readability Level N/A

Course / Content Reading

List Price: 149.95

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Resource Materials N/A

Gratis Items to be provided and under what conditions

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Available Ancillary Materials Reading Rods Green Tray

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Research Available Not Available

None

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- XI. Ancillary Materials Content Summary

2.00

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ETA/Cuisenaire

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Readability Level N/A

Course / Content Reading

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Resource Materials N/A

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Available Ancillary Materials Reading Rods Green Tray

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None

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Recommendations: Sample not sent. Viewed CD demo and cannot base evaluation on this information.

## **Summary Form**

- I. Technology Component Summary
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- IX. Audience: Student Materials Content Summary
- X. Format Content Summary
- XI. Ancillary Materials Content Summary

## READING RODS« READERS SHORT VOWEL MASTERY LEARNING CENTER

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ETA/Cuisenaire

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Readability Level N/A

Course / Content Reading

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Readability Level N/A

Course / Content Reading

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Short Vowel, Long Vowel, Advanced Vowel and Grammar. The sets are organized into shared

reading libraries and individual copies, and include 113 titles in all.

Resource Materials N/A

Gratis Items to be provided and under what conditions

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of equal or lower value

Available Ancillary Materials Reading Rods Green Tray

#### Research Data and Evidence of Effectiveness

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Research Available Not Available

None

## Overall Strength and/or Weaknesses

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Recommendations: books se

books serve as a supplement and reinforcement of skills children are learning. Formatting and instruction is similar to other book sets. This set contains short and long vowel word families. Helps to put the phonemic sounds and word families into story form.

## **Summary Form**

- I. Technology Component Summary
- II. Reading Content Summary
  books are decodable and each one focuses on a different skill to encourage retention and automaticity
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- VI. Inquiry Content Summary
- VII. Technology Content Summary
- VIII. Audience: Teacher Materials Content Summary 2.00
- IX. Audience: Student Materials Content Summary
- X. Format Content Summary
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- XI. Ancillary Materials Content Summary

2.00

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## READING CONTENT

helps students to incorporate skills learned in isolation, from words to sentences. Books are not across genre, all stories are fiction

books encourage students to build and use everyday words that were found in stories.

#### **AUDIENCE: TEACHER MATERIALS**

PROGRAM IS SUPPLEMENTAL, TO BE USED AS SUPPORT FOR STUDENTS TO PRACTICE SKILLS TAUGHT PREVIOUSLY.

## **FORMAT**

BOOKS CAN BE USED IN ANY ORDER WITH GROUPS TO REINFORCE SKILLS BOOKS SHOW DIFFERENT ETHNICITIES, GENDERS, AGES AND CREATURES. BOOKS ARE WELL MADE, HIGH QUALITY AND NICE, SIMPLE FONT

# **ANCILLARY MATERIALS**

# READING RODS« READERS WORD FAMILIES FOUNDATION LEARNING CENTER

ETA/Cuisenaire

Copyright - 2002 ISBN - 5500060248 Edition - N/A

Grade Level P2 - 1st Grade P3 - 2nd Grade P4 - 3rd Grade

Readability Level N/A

Course / Content Reading

List Price: 429.95

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Content Reading Rods« Readers offers highly decodable texts designed to supplement reading programs in

grades 1 and up. Combined with the Reading Rods«, skills are taught in the context of a memorable story. Each title targets one skill and highlights it throughout the text. Phonics, vowels, and grammar skills are brought to life through the characters and then extended into vocabulary, comprehension, and writing by hands-on activities included in each text.

Student Experiences Reading Rods« Readers gives children the opportunity to read colorfully illustrated

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Recommendations:

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# **ANCILLARY MATERIALS**

## READING RODS« READING SPECIALIST KIT ù BASIC

ETA/Cuisenaire

Copyright - 2000 ISBN - 5500060089 Edition - N/A

Grade Level P1 - Kindergarten P2 - 1st Grade P3 - 2nd Grade P4 - 3rd

Grade

Readability Level N/A

Course / Content Reading

List Price: 229.95

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Content Reading Rods« Skill Kits supplement any curriculum by reinforcing key literacy skills through the

use of hands-on activities that encourage students to practice their reading and writing skills. Each kit focuses on the skills researchers have identified as most critical for reading success. The following eight kits can be used with students in Kû8 levels: Alphabet and Phonemic Awareness; Initial Consonants and Word Families; Short Vowel Word Families; Making Words; Phonics Word-Building; Prefixes, Suffixes, and Root Words; Simple Sentences; and Sentence

Construction. Each kit can be used for one on one teaching, small groups or learning centers.

Student Experiences Reading Rods« Skill Kits contain activity flipbooks that offer independent practice with

an easy-to-follow pattern of find, build, say, and write. As students work through the steps, they become more independent learners while developing their understanding of a

specific literacy concept.

Assessment Formal and informal assessment activities for the teacher are built into Reading Rods« Skill Kits.

The TeacherÆs Resource Guide gives simple suggestions to help assess studentsÆ understanding and offers ideas for continued practice of the objectives if students are not at the level they need to

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Organization The TeacherÆs Resource Guide is full of ready-to-use lessons, blackline masters, word lists, and

assessments. Every lesson has a clear objective, concise directions, and examples for you to start the activity. Each Skill Kit is available with enough materials for one student or for a reading group of five students. In addition, Reading Specialist Kits are available in individual and group

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Recommendations:

This program is recommended as a supplement for a balance literacy program. Can be used with any core program and lessons can be used randomly to correspond with skills. This program is a compilation of 5 of the Reading Rods programs, alphabet & PA, short vowel families, phics word building, pre/suffix & root words, and sentence construction. Please see review notes for Reading Rods individual components for review information.

## **Summary Form**

I.	Technology Component Summary	
II.	Reading Content Summary Allows students opportunity to manipulate letters, word and sentence parts.	2
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X.	Format Content Summary easily integrated into any core program	2.00
XI.	Ancillary Materials Content Summary	2.00

## READING CONTENT

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#### GRAMMAR AND SPELLING

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LESSONS PROVIDE GUIDANCE FOR INDIVIDUAL WORD WORK.

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## **AUDIENCE: TEACHER MATERIALS**

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## **AUDIENCE: STUDENT MATERIALS**

MANIPULATIVES ARE NON-BIASED AND SIMPLE TO USE, FLIP BOOKS PROVIDE ADDITIONAL SCAFFOLDING, AND READING TO FOLLOW DIRECTION SKILLS INCLUDES BASIC SKILLS NEEDED TO TEACH CHILDREN HOW TO RECORD SOUNDS AND WORDS ON PAPER, CREATE WORDS AND SENTENCES.

#### **FORMAT**

PROGRAM CAN BE FOLLOWED SEQUENTIALLY, OR LESSONS CAN BE USED AT POINT OF NEED FOR STUDENTS OR TO COORDINATE WITH THE CORE READING PROGRAM. GLOSSERIES AVAILABLE FOR TEACHERS TO HELP PLAN LESSONS, UNDERSTAND TERMS AND VIEW FURTHER RESEARCH

#### **ANCILLARY MATERIALS**

LESSONS AND MATERIALS CAN FIT INTO ALMOST ANY PROGRAM OR LESSONS ACTIVITES ARE VERY KINESTHETIC, VISUAL. STUDENTS CAN WORK IN PAIRS, OR WITH SMALL GROUP TO ORALLY DISCUSS SPELLING PATTERNS, LESSON, ETC...

## READING RODS« READING SPECIALIST KIT ù COMPREHENSIVE

ETA/Cuisenaire

Copyright - 2000 ISBN - 5500600199 Edition - N/A

Grade Level P1 - Kindergarten P2 - 1st Grade P3 - 2nd Grade P4 - 3rd

Grade

Readability Level N/A

Course / Content Reading

List Price: 299.95

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Research Available Not Available

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Recommendations:

This program is recommended as a supplement for a balance literacy program. Can be used with any core program and lessons can be used randomly to correspond with skills. This program is a compilation of all 7 of the Reading Rods programs. Please see review notes for Reading Rods individual components for review information.

#### **Summary Form**

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## **READING CONTENT**

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#### **FORMAT**

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#### READING RODS« SENTENCE-CONSTRUCTION INDIVIDUAL STUDENT KIT

ETA/Cuisenaire

Copyright - 2000 ISBN - 5500060016 Edition - N/A

Grade Level P3 - 2nd Grade P4 - 3rd Grade Fourth Grade

Readability Level N/A

Course / Content Reading

List Price: 35.95

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use of hands-on activities that encourage students to practice their reading and writing skills. Each kit focuses on the skills researchers have identified as most critical for reading success. The following eight kits can be used with students in Kû8 levels: Alphabet and Phonemic Awareness; Initial Consonants and Word Families; Short Vowel Word Families; Making Words; Phonics Word-Building; Prefixes, Suffixes, and Root Words; Simple Sentences; and Sentence

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Course / Content Reading

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Recommendations: Did not recieve this item in packaging, therefore, could not review.

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- X. Format Content Summary
- XI. Ancillary Materials Content Summary

### READING RODS« SENTENCE-CONSTRUCTION READING GROUP KIT

ETA/Cuisenaire

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Readability Level N/A

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Grade Level P3 - 2nd Grade P4 - 3rd Grade Fourth Grade

Readability Level N/A

Course / Content Reading

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### GRAMMAR AND SPELLING

SIMPLE SENTENCES TEACHES BEGINNING GRAMMAR SKILS AND HOW TO DEVELOP APPROPRIATE SENTENCES AND PUNCUATION. INCLUDES OTHER LANGUAGE SKILLS SUCH AS ADJECTIVES, VERBS, NOUNS, ETC...

LOGICAL SEQUENCE OF SPELLING PATTERNS BASED ON RESEARCH, BUT FLEXIBLE SO TO BE USED WITH CORE.

MULTIPLE WAYS TO DIFFERENTIATE

LESSONS PROVIDE GUIDANCE FOR INDIVIDUAL WORD WORK.

STUDENTS ARE TAUGHT HOW TO MANIPULATE THE READING RODS TO CREATE NEW WORDS WITH FEW CHANGES.

# **AUDIENCE: TEACHER MATERIALS**

TG IS USER FRIENDLY AND EASY TO CORRDINATE WITH ANY READING PROGRAM

LESSONS ARE SEQUENTIAL, ACTIVITES CLEAR AND ORGANIZED.
READING RODS MANIPULATIVES ARE EASY TO INTEGRATE INTO ANY LITERACY PROGRAM, CAN BE USED IN SMALL GROUP INSTRUCTION, OR AS LEARNING CENTERS.

### **AUDIENCE: STUDENT MATERIALS**

MANIPULATIVES ARE NON-BIASED AND SIMPLE TO USE, FLIP BOOKS PROVIDE ADDITIONAL SCAFFOLDING, AND READING TO FOLLOW DIRECTION SKILLS INCLUDES BASIC SKILLS NEEDED TO TEACH CHILDREN HOW TO RECORD SOUNDS AND WORDS ON PAPER, CREATE WORDS AND SENTENCES.

#### **FORMAT**

PROGRAM CAN BE FOLLOWED SEQUENTIALLY, OR LESSONS CAN BE USED AT POINT OF NEED FOR STUDENTS OR TO COORDINATE WITH THE CORE READING PROGRAM.
GLOSSERIES AVAILABLE FOR TEACHERS TO HELP PLAN LESSONS, UNDERSTAND TERMS AND VIEW FURTHER RESEARCH

### **ANCILLARY MATERIALS**

LESSONS AND MATERIALS CAN FIT INTO ALMOST ANY PROGRAM OR LESSONS ACTIVITES ARE VERY KINESTHETIC, VISUAL. STUDENTS CAN WORK IN PAIRS, OR WITH SMALL GROUP TO ORALLY DISCUSS SPELLING PATTERNS, LESSON, ETC...

### READING RODS« SPELLING KIT

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Readability Level N/A

Course / Content Reading

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- VIII. Audience: Teacher Materials Content Summary
- IX. Audience: Student Materials Content Summary
- X. Format Content Summary
- XI. Ancillary Materials Content Summary

### READING RODS« TAKE-HOME ACTIVITY SET: LETTERS AND SOUNDS

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XVIII. Audience: Teacher Materials Content Summary

XIX. Audience: Student Materials Content Summary

XX. Format Content Summary

XXI. Ancillary Materials Content Summary

### READING RODS« TAKE-HOME ACTIVITY SET: SENTENCE BUILDING

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Fifth Grade Sixth Grade

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Sixth Grade

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